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## MEMORANDUM

From: F. E. Genco, CDR *[Signature]*  
CGD14 (drm)

To: E. Greenia, COL  
Commander, Hawaii Wing, Civil Air Patrol

Subj: BRAVO ZULU!

1. Thank you for your outstanding efforts on September 10, 2007 while searching for an active 121.5MHz emergency beacon transmitting in vicinity of Kahului Harbor, Maui.
2. Upon notification from the U.S. Coast Guard, LTC Anthony Schena quickly dispatched a Civil Air Patrol Radio Direction Finder Ground Team in Maui to search and locate the signal source of the emergency beacon. Your team exhibited outstanding professionalism and dedication during the three hour search, isolating the signal source to a Hughes 500 helicopter in a shipping container within Kahului Harbor. Your efforts enabled the Coast Guard to eliminate undue aircrew risk and save potentially thousands of dollars in resource expenditures.
3. Your actions serve to uphold the Civil Air Patrol's core values of "Integrity, Volunteer Service, Excellence, and Respect". The U.S. Coast Guard thanks you for your continuing support of humanitarian missions in Hawaii. Semper Vigilans!

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